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SUBJ: PAN AM COMMISSIONS IN SOUTH AFRICA

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1. VON AHLEFELD TOLD US JUNE 4 THAT HIS ATTORNEYS HAD LEARNED FROM OFFICIAL SOURCES THAT COMMISSIONS DIRECTIVE OF MINISTER TRANSPORT WAS BASED ON IATA RULINGS NOT ON ANY PROVISION OF SOUTH AFRICAN LAW.

2. VON AHLEFELD REGARDED THIS DIRECTIVE AS INCORRECTLY BASED BECAUSE IATA'S "OPEN SEASON" ON COMMISSION BECAME EFFECTIVE MAY 1. IATA DECISIONS CITED BY MINISTER HAD EXPIRED APRIL 30 BUT HIS DIRECTIVE WAS DATED IN MAY.

3. VON AHLEFELD PLANNING CONSULT HIS LONDON AND NEW YORK HEADQUARTERS ON NEXT STEP, I.E. WHETHER TO GO ALONG WITH MIN TRANSPORT OR RISK INJUNCTION BY DECLINING TO ACCEPT IT.

4. HIS VOLUME OF SALES INCREASED 30 PERCENT IN APRIL 1975 OVER 1974 WHICH HE ATTRIBUTES TO A NEW COMMISSION PLAN.

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